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James Watt speaks on campus Monday

By Joey Luallen
Staff Writer

When James G. Watt speaks here next Monday morning, he will be speaking on the methods and values of the same group that caused his demise as Secretary of the Interior.

The title of his speech: "Lacking Integrity--The American Press Corps."

Watt will also speak Monday night on "The Courage of a Conservative--A Prescription for Amer-

ica to Prepare for the 21st Century." Both speeches will be given in the Montgomery Building Auditorium.

The much maligned Watt, who served from January 1981 to October 1983, was described by many during his term as pro-development and anti-environmental. He earned this reputation while serving in the Nixon and Ford administrations in the department and on the Federal Power Commission.

Watt was supported by land developing corporations and opposed by environmental groups.

In April 1981 the department was sued by the state of California and several environmental groups after

Watt announced the sale of the Santa Maria coastal basin. Other states joined in the suit and a federal district judge ruled against the department.

Even after he had left the department, Watt's decisions were challenged. In April 1985 a federal judge ordered the department to restore wilderness protection to about 1.5 million acres of land it said Watt illegally opened to development.

Watt resigned from the department after saying of his coal-lease commission "We have every kind of mix you can have...a black...a woman, two Jews and a cripple."

This was not Watt's first blunder in speech. Earlier he had compared the philosophy of the environmental movement with the politics of Nazi Germany, likened the abortion supporters to "the forces that created the Holocaust," and described Indian reservations as "an example of the failure of socialism."

The native Americans apparently held no ill feelings toward Watt because in 1985 he helped form a company that solicited businesses to finance economic projects on the reservations. The company was appropriately named First Americans Co.

Watt will be speaking at 11 a.m. and 8 p.m.



James Watt

'AIDS Forum' slated

By JEFFREY DOBBINS
Chanticleer Staff Writer

The Inter Club Council plans to bring an "AIDS Forum" to Theron Montgomery Auditorium on October 22.

"We hope to have a large turnout, both students and community members, to hear current information and ask any questions they might have on the AIDS issue," said Cyndi Owens, President of ICC.

She went on to say that several members of the health community will be involved in the forum, and they will represent many sides of the issue.

"We have a nurse, a clergyman, a hospital official, and other members of the medical community who will each give about a five-minute speech. They will then answer questions from the floor," she said.

The forum is designed to educate people about the disease, and also to increase awareness that AIDS is not spread by donating blood. The organizers hope that this will increase attendance at the blood drive, which takes place on October 27-28.

"We really need a lot of support for the blood drive, and we hope this will ease people's minds about AIDS transmission," Owens said.

Mask & Wig Guild meets

By CYNDI OWENS

Chanticleer Senior Editor

Members of the Mask & Wig Guild met on October 14 to celebrate the fortieth anniversary of their founding on this campus.

Guild members hosted the party, held in the "Green Room" of Stone Center.

Dr. Larry Miles, who founded the Guild in 1947 at what was then Jacksonville State Teachers College, was the guest speaker. He recounted how the guild was born.

He had come to teach, and with his background in theater, students were eager to discuss acting with him. During lunch in the cafeteria at Hammond Hall, students would gather around and they would talk about theater, especially the lack of it in the area. By the end of October, enough students had shown interest to merit forming an organization.

"I met with about a dozen students in the basement of Bibb Graves and we discussed names. I suggested 'Curtain Club' or 'Jax State Players,' but the students insisted on 'Masque and Wig Guild.' Over the years the spelling has been changed to 'Mask,' Miles said.

The first play put on by the Guild was "You Can't Take It With You," and they borrowed \$25 from President Houston Cole to buy the play books. They sold tickets to the show, held at the town recreation center, between classes. They borrowed props and furniture from area

merchants, and used their own clothes for costumes. Enough was made from the show to cover expenses and start an account to finance the next show.

Dr. Miles became interested in theater as he grew up in New York. He started by going to the movies, and then became interested in live theater.

"The constant exposure to the theater district and Broadway peaked my interest. I was forever hooked on the theater," he said.

He helped form an improvisational group, but they did not get a chance to perform due to the outbreak of World War II.

In the service, he involved himself in putting on shows, and they were so well received that they were taken to Army hospital and performed for injured servicemen.

"To get to see them laugh and carry on like they were all whole was worth it," he said.

Dr. Miles, who appeared here most recently in "The Philadelphia Story," is proud of the reputation that JSU theater has earned.

"To see that our efforts in 1947 have in some small way contributed to this is fulfilling," he said.

For more information on Mask & Wig, contact the drama department.



Gem of the Hills weekend ended with a half-time show spotlighting the flags of all 50 states.

PPSI invaluable aid to students at JSU

Grover Kitchens
Staff Writer

Many students have heard the acronyms PPSI, but what do they mean? They stand for Post-secondary Program for Sensory Impaired. This program was begun at JSU in the fall of 1985 to help with the problems and needs of visually impaired and hearing impaired students in the college world. These students attend classes and participate in other activities along with "regular" university students. The support services these students receive include notetakers, sign language interpreters, tutors, those that work special electronic equipment and in other areas.

The services allow a student to graduate and enables him to be competitive in job searching and the ability to successfully work in the so called "normal" world. This fields of study open to PPSI students cover the entire spectrum of the University and include teacher preparation for the hearing impaired, dietetics, clothing, home economics, word processing, accounting, and many other fields. There is a new program in which a student can receive a Bachelor of Occupational Technology Degree. This is designed for those students who could only attend a vocational technical school and thought that was as high as they could get. Now, through this program they can receive a degree by returning to college and taking the basic English, history, and other courses not taught at the technical schools

The main thing that PPSI does is provide tutoring services and renovations in living conditions. There must be changes in coursework, tests, and other modifications in the classroom to remove unfair barriers to the student's attainment of the normal course objectives. There are also technical aids that benefit the students and participation from the faculty that help in the classroom.

The continuation of this program is expensive. To keep the program up, it must first be successful. This has and is happening and is proved by the presentation of an award for success in this field recently bestowed on the PPSI. Also, there is community support in the form of fund-raising and scholarships spearheaded by Claude Kitchens.

Where does the money raised go, is a question asked of every donation since "church gate"? The money goes for special computers for the blind, braille printers, a hearing test center, and the expensive software for the computer. These are also devices that must be bought for dorm life. These are blinking alarms for the fire alarms and clocks, blinking and sounding alarms for doorbells and telephones. For the deaf there is a revolutionary device that lets the student talk to another deaf student by way of a telecommunicating device which is like a typewriter with a screen that shows the typed words.

Blind students need braille copies of notes and papers, a voice synthesizer for the computer, and maps

and graphs with raised lines. One example of the expense is the computer. The system cost near \$10,000 and the braille printer was around \$3,000. There are only a handful of these printers in the state and Jacksonville State is the only regular school in the Southeast to even have this type of program that includes such diverse equipment.

Dan Miller said, "People around campus have been very supportive" and interested. The Circle K Club helped the department buy an enlarging machine which enlarges print on a TV screen as a student with low vision can read books or notes. Most professors have been very helpful, and have enlarged tests, read tests to students, and come to the PPSI to inquire on how to handle the special conditions of having a visually or hearing impaired student. Sometimes a professor will provide notes prior to lecture so the interpreters for the deaf will be prepared for difficult words and definitions.

Also, a measure of success is enrollment. By this, their second academic year, the department expected to have fifteen students, but instead they have 22. They enroll a blind or severely low vision students and had the first blind student to graduate last year. The rest are deaf or hearing impaired students and last year two deaf students graduated with teacher's certificates for teaching the hearing impaired.

Dan Miller is the driving force behind the campus program and he

states that the program is not a catch to push the students through school, but they are there to "suggest and provide support". The main goal of the whole program is to "make the students' movement (in school and the world) be more independent." With Budget cuts and economic factors Miller says the equipment that is most needed and easily accessible is the main spending priorities.

The PPSI always can use student help and one way they get help is by

giving. These are the people who have been offering the sign language classes in the past. The next class begins November 3, and those interested are urged to call the PPSI office at 231-5093 in Romona Wood 310 A.

Also, they are now in desperate need of a volunteer to help two blind students in a geography lab with graphs. A geography background is preferred and this would take only 3-4 hours a week with classes being held on Tuesday from 12:30 - 2:30

Announcements

The Archaeology Club will meet Thursday, October 29 at 7 pm on the third floor of Brewer. Guest speaker is Eugene Futato of the University of Alabama and the topic is Tel Halil, a middle eastern prehistoric site.

The Jacksonville Songwriter's Association is looking for members. All individuals interested in learning more about the craft of songwriting please call 231-6977 or write JSU P.O. Box 5285.

On November 5th the JSU Military Science Department along with the US Army, Army Reserve and Al. National Guard are planning a Freedom Appreciation Day on the JSU campus. The observance will be geared to enlightening JSU students to our modern army's ability to protect the freedoms we appreciate.

Beta Beta Beta and Beta Sigma will meet Monday Oct. 26 at 6:30 pm in 100 Ayers Hall. Pete Conroy of the Anniston Museum of Natural History will speak on birds of prey.

An AIDS forum, sponsored by the Inter Club Council will be held Oct. 22 at pm on the third floor of TMB. The public is urged to attend.

The ICC Blood Drive will be held Oct. 27-28 from 11-5 on the third floor of TMB. PLEASE GIVE BLOOD!

The winning name of the "Name The Snack Bar" Contest is: **THE ROOST**

Winners: **Sandra West**
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Congressman Bill Nichols to be roasted/honored

The city of Anniston, city of Oxford and the Cerebral Palsy Center will jointly sponsor a roast/humanitarian service awards dinner for Congressman Bill Nichols on November 10, 1987, at the Anniston City Auditorium. The dinner event will honor Congressman Nichols' many achievements in the community and in the area of aiding the handicapped. This gala \$50 per plate dinner will be the social and civic highlight of the year. The net pro-

ceeds will benefit the Cerebral Palsy Center. The evening will commence with a hospitality hour at 6:00 p.m. during which guests will be able to mingle with the many dignitaries scheduled on the agenda. The dinner and roast begin at 7:00 p.m. and features addresses by Judge Bill Sullivan of Talladega; Commanding General Gerald Watson of Fort McClellan; Lister Hill Proctor, attorney and former state senator from Sylacauga;

Malcolm Street, manager and co-owner of WHMA and WHMA-FM; as well as, of course, Bill Nichols. The Fort McClellan 14th army band will perform for the partiotic part of the program. Teresa Cheatham and other exciting things are also included on the agenda.

Tickets are available at the following places: Anniston City Manager Tom Wright's office, Mayor Leon Smith's office, and the Cerebral Palsy Center.

Jefferson-Jackson dinner kicks-off race

The election of the next President of the United States will get underway in Alabama on October 16, 1987, when the Alabama Democratic Party hosts their 1987 Jefferson-Jackson Dinner in Birmingham. The Democratic Presidential hopefuls have been invited to attend the gathering of Democrats at the

Birmingham-Jefferson Civic Center. Congressman Richard Gephardt of Missouri and Tennessee Senator Albert Gore, Jr. have confirmed that they will be there to address the crowd, expected to number near 1000.

The Jefferson-Jackson Dinner will begin with a reception at 6:00

p.m. in the Civic Center's South Meeting Room, followed by dinner at 7:00 p.m. in the South Exhibition

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*"A nation that is afraid to let its people judge truth and falsehood
in an open market is a nation that is afraid of its people."*

---John F. Kennedy



For the record

Contra aid creates controversy

It has been reported that President Ronald Reagan is expected to ask Congress to provide \$270 million for Contra Aid next month. This appropriation, according to Reagan officials, is to act as "insurance" to force Nicaragua to comply with the regional peace accord.



Steven Robinson
Editor-In-Chief

Excuse me, Ron, but didn't Congress just dish out over \$3.5 million in "humanitarian aid" to that little central American hotbed the size of Alabama?

I find it strange that our illustrious federal government can find money to spare to send to central America, but aid to American citizens attending college is getting harder and harder to locate. What do college students around here have to do to get help, start a civil war?

It's a funny thing to me that people who are not even citizens of this country hold higher regard in the eyes of the American government than do its own people. Why not take heed to the proverb of removing the log from your own eye before looking for other folk's splinters?

People scream about stopping the spread of communism in the west. That's fine with me, but let's do a little house cleaning here at home first. Let's provide a little aid to our own people for a while. When we get our own problems straightened out, then we can play Lone Ranger to the rest of the world (who from what I can gather doesn't really care much for us at the present time anyway).

Believe it or not, there are actually people starving in this country. The land of opportunity is also the land of catastrophe for many Americans who can't seem to keep their heads above water. Can't something be done for these folks first?

Just think of the good \$300 million dollars would do in research for things like cancer, AIDS and the like. It might not bring about an immediate cure for anything, but it would certainly help.

Apparently I'm not the only one who disagrees with the present administration's policy of giving away aid to foreign countries. Protests have sprung up all over the country, including those at Iowa University, the University of Southern California, and many others. Apparently many other college students feel the same way.

With last week's stock market crash, I think it is evident that the United States has enough problems of its own. We need to concentrate on cleaning up our act before we start demanding that the world do likewise. Let's practice a little of what we preach. If democracy is so much better than communism, etc., then let's show the world by providing ourselves as a model of what democracy is supposed to be.

Safeguards for handicapped needed

Debbie Kipp
Staff Writer

At about 3 a.m. on October 1, residents of Sparkman Hall awakened to participate in a practical joke. A call from outside the campus phone system warned of a bomb hidden in the building. When the fire alarm sounded (as it often does in Sparkman), students assumed it was "just another fire drill." Shortly afterwards, Sgt. Parker, a campus police officer, announced over the intercom that it was not a drill, but an actual bomb threat. Leaving shoes, jackets, and personal articles behind, the girls quickly exited the dorm—that is, those who heard the warnings.

You see, Jax State has several hearing impaired students, and many of them live in Sparkman

Hall. Some of them could not hear the alarm or the officer's announcement. The Resident Life Director at Sparkman, Marzella Lassiter, said the rooms of those students had to be opened with the master key in order to wake them and evacuate them from the dorm.

Officers searched the entire building for the bomb, while the girls waited across the street. After standing in the cold night air for almost 45 minutes, they were allowed to return to their rooms. Thankfully, no explosives were found; however, this incident brings a sensitive issue out in the open.

Why doesn't J.S.U. have an alarm system to accommodate its hearing impaired students? If there had been a bomb, could all of those

involved have survived? Time is a key element in emergencies, and it hardly can be wasted. Demanding that these students be housed on the same floor would not solve the problem, and would be considered discrimination against them. What

we actually need is an alarm, similar to their own alarm clocks, which would vibrate when the fire alarm is sounded.

This has been proposed before, but some argue that money for such items is not in the college's budget. Now I ask you, had't you rather spend a little extra money than write a letter of regret to a student's parents? And when you answer, remember that no arrests were made in this case.



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Features

Blind twins enroll at JSU

JACKSONVILLE -- Terry and Jerry McKee slowly walk across the campus of Jacksonville State University, using their canes and keen sense of hearing as a guide.

They tap their canes on the sidewalk, skillfully avoiding other students in their path. Two boys talking near Jack Hopper Dining Hall pause and watch in amazement as the McKees expertly climb the steps, open the door and go inside for lunch.

Terry and Jerry, 19, are accustomed to this type of attention. After all, they are identical twins. They're also blind, and have been so since birth.

But the McKee twins are determined not to let blindness interfere with their life at JSU.

As Terry put it: "We go a little bit slower than a sighted person would, but we pretty much know the campus as well as any other student."

Residents of Talladega, Terry and Jerry attended the Alabama Institute for the Deaf and Blind located in their hometown. This is Terry's first semester at JSU. Jerry took a few classes last fall. They are both enrolled in JSU's new Post-Secondary Program for the Sensory Impaired (PPSI).

The McKee twins are full of courage and determination. For instance, Jerry took his brother on a short tour at the beginning of the semester to help familiarize him with JSU, but Terry insisted on learning some parts of the campus on his own.

"Someone can show you around campus, but you're never going to learn anything until you get out on your own," Terry said.

Jerry said the toughest part about going to school in a university setting was the first couple of weeks.

"When I first came here, I'd just sit in my room after coming in from class and not do anything," he said. "I finally got so bored that I said to myself, 'you've got to get out on campus, get lost a couple of times

and meet people'."

In their spare time, the McKees like to listen to music, read books, or listen to their favorite sport - football - on television.

The McKee twins have encountered only two problems thus far this semester: the new arrangement in the cafeteria and finding transportation to Pete Mathews Coliseum. But they know the cafeteria pretty well now. And PPSI found someone to drive them to their P.E. classes at the coliseum.

Crossing the street poses another problem.

It's easy whenever there's a lot of traffic, because I listen to the cars around me," Jerry said. "If there are cars passing in front of me, I stop. If the cars are stopped beside me, I know it's safe to go."

But how do they distinguish one building on campus from another? Further still, how do they know where their classrooms are?

"Most buildings are easy to remember because they've got some type of distinguishing feature," Jerry said. "For example, there's a bulletin board outside Stone Center that I use to tell where my English class is. And I use the trophy case in Martin Hall to get to my geography class. I've memorized how many turns to make and doors to class for all my classrooms, so after finding the right building the rest is easy."

Of course, being blind in a university setting requires them to use specialized equipment to assist them in their studies. The McKees use a braille writer to take notes in their classrooms and occasionally a tape recorder to record the instructors' lectures. In addition, the twins meet several hours each week with readers (college students hired by PPSI to read their books and handouts to them).

Most of their teachers and fellow classmates have been willing to help them overcome problems, the twins said.



The McKee twins

Though the McKees are identical twins, the younger one, Jerry, stands nearly one inch taller and is several pounds heavier. Jerry says Terry is more open in his opinions and more talkative, while Terry says Jerry tends to be quieter and more relaxed.

Terry said they've never pretended to be the other, but people often get them confused. Two years

ago in Talladega, Jerry was walking to his classroom when a girl stopped him, thinking he was going to the wrong classroom. She grabbed his arm, led him to the next classroom and was shocked to discover Terry sitting in the room.

"She looked at me and said, 'Hey,

there are two of you'," Terry said. "We all got a good laugh out of that one. We like being twins, but it's real difficult to get people to realize we're two different people. But I've been able to establish my own identity here."

What are their impressions of JSU thus far?

"It's a nice, friendly campus," said Terry, who plans to major in psychology.

"I love the place," agreed Jerry, who's undecided about his career plans. "It's the kind of place I've always wanted to attend."

The McKee twins don't see their blindness as a handicap. They stress the importance of maintaining a

positive outlook on life.

You can't let yourself get discouraged," Terry said. "In music, Ronnie Milsap and Ray Charles have shown that blind people can do and become whatever they want if they have the desire to do so."

"My primary motivation for gaining my college degree is Ron Garrett, the principle at the Alabama Institute for the Deaf and Blind," he added. "I used to think he was picking on me, because he often said, 'You'll probably stay at home for the rest of your life.' I look forward to one day graduating from college, getting a job, going back home and saying to him, 'Hey, look at me now'."

CSO develops spiritual growth

By LIBBY HALLADAY
Special to the Chanticleer

Here at JSU, we are proud to have many diverse and active religious organizations on our campus. Among these clubs is the CSO (Catholic Student Organization). The CSO is an organization whose purpose is to help students maintain spiritual awareness and growth. The CSO reaches its goal through prayer, scripture, sharing, and social events. The club meets every

Wednesday night at 6:30 pm at St. Charles Church in the Parish hall. Each meeting begins with a free dinner, either prepared by the students or ordered, all provided for by the CSO. Dinner is followed by an open discussion on any decisions involving the club such as service projects and social events. All students are encouraged to give their input.

The CSO also has a very active social calendar. Some of the sched-

uled events include a trip to Ava Maria Grotto in Cullman, Al., a College SEARCH weekend in Birmingham, Al., attending an SGA movie as a group, bowling fun, and the annual Christmas Social. The first of these events is the College SEARCH weekend in Birmingham beginning October 23 at 6:00 pm and ending on Sunday, October 25 at 4:00 pm. Transportation will be provided for those in need. Anyone interested should contact the church at

435-3238.

The CSO is under the guidance and leadership of Rev. Kevin Cooke. Father Kevin is doing a wonderful job and has been very helpful and supportive. He is very enthusiastic and hopes to see continued interest and growth. At this moment, there are 37 members on record. Any interested students needing more information can contact any one of the following students:

Shaun Davidson 435-1456 (senior)

Amy Halladay 435-8070 (freshman)
Libby Halladay 435-8070 (junior)
Todd Key 231-6985 (senior)
Linda Kurtzer 231-6287 (senior)
Gina Willis 231-6174 (junior)

There are many students who are unaware of the CSO and its benefits. The CSO offers an exciting and enriching friendship among JSU students. Along with the other organizations on campus, the CSO will definitely be a fulfilling part of campus life.

JSU Archaeology Department awarded contract

By Christine Bissinger
Staff Writer

Jacksonville State University's Archaeology Department was awarded a contract by the U.S. Corp of Engineers. This contract enables the Archaeology Department to examine sites of dams, reservoirs, hydro-plants, locks, main water-

ways, for cultural resources that could conceivably be destroyed by renovation or construction.

"Our whole job in this indefinite contract is just to initially analyze these areas to determine whether or not further work should be done," says Dr. Harry Holstein.

This is the first contract of this

type awarded by the U.S. Corp of Engineers, therefore it is mostly experimental. JSU won this contract over more prestigious colleges such as the University of Alabama and Florida State.

The areas covered by the contract are known as the Mobile District. This includes all of Alabama, parts

of Tennessee, West Georgia, Eastern Mississippi, and the Panhandle Florida.

The contract cites six committed specialists, including Dr. Holstein of the Sociology Department and Dr. Keorper of the History Department. Students of JSU will also be involved with much of the work that

needs to be done, such as looking up histories of the sites and looking over the area for clues to archaeological data.

Although the Archaeology Department hasn't been called to do any work as of yet, they are hoping for something to come up in the next few months.

Bart Bell sets sights on '88 Olympics

JACKSONVILLE--Jacksonville State University freshman Bart Bell has been in training since 1985 to win a gold medal in next year's Summer Olympics.

Bell, a 1984 graduate of Jacksonville High School, trained at the Olympic Training Center in Colorado Springs, Colorado, from 1985 to August of this year. For six hours a day and seven days a week, he worked with some of the best cycling coaches in the world.

And the results have been astounding.

He was the top sprint bicyclist in his age group in Texas, winning the state district title three years in a row (1985-87). In 1985, he finished fifth in the nation in the U.S. National Championships. A ruptured tendon prevented him from competing in 1986, but he returned to place ninth in this summer's National Championships.

"For my age, I'm considered one of the best sprint bicyclist in the

country," Bell said. "People usually peak at age 25 or 26, so I've got the potential to become even better and faster. But even if I don't make the Olympics, I've got other racing events in mind."

But Bell needs a little help. Participating in bicycling competitions is expensive. He's currently searching for sponsorship to help pay the bills next spring.

"Alabama isn't known for bicycling," he added. "I want to help bring publicity to this area and hopefully help future athletes get their start."

What does he enjoy most about racing?

"I love the spirit of competition," Bell said. "I only race for one reason -- to win. I plan on staying in racing until I become the best I can be."

Bell returned to Jacksonville this fall to relax and get away from the training atmosphere in Colorado.

The racing season usually runs from January to August, and Bell is using the off season to concentrate on other areas of his life he neglected during training.

"I want to stay in school and eventually get a degree," he said. "But school is secondary to me right now, compared to racing and training."

In January, Bell plans to return to the Olympic Training Center in Colorado Springs. Next March, he will move to San Diego, where sprint racers will train together. Two lucky sprint bicyclists, including one who'll serve as an alternate, will be chosen for the 1988 Summer Olympics.

"With God's help, I'll be successful," Bell said. "Many athletes seem to forget how they got there once they obtain success. But I know that if He hadn't given me the ability to be a winner, I'd have never gotten to where I am today."



Bart Bell

"I only race for one reason - to win. I plan on staying in

racing until I become the best I can be." — Bell

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Harley addresses concert issue

By GREG HARLEY
Guest Columnist

As Vice President of SGA, the question that I have been asked the most is, "When will Jax State get a big name concert?" My reply has usually been that the SGA is trying to book one, but we have been unsuccessful so far.

When I took office, I had two goals for entertainment on campus. The first was to provide entertainment, in addition to the movies, for students several times each month. I think that we have had some success on this goal, with events such as the Tomboy-Telluride concert, J-Day, Comedy Nights, Spirit Buses, the Homecoming Pageant and Parade, the bonfire, and the fireworks show. Later this semester, we have two more Comedy Nights planned, and our Speakers Program is beginning with visits to campus by James Watt and Rocky Bleier.

When trying to accomplish the second goal, I have run into two problems.

First of all, a concert at JSU is not an automatic success. When booking a national act for the Coliseum, one is generally talking about a large amount of money. If people don't attend, the SGA and the University are the financial losers. A good example of this is a concert by the Dazz Band in 1983. A popular group at the time, the concert drew less than 300 people. Needless to say, there was some money lost. For this reason, I have to be very careful about the selection of the bands that SGA tries to book.

Second, the availability of the

Coliseum is a problem, because it is first and foremost an athletic facility. We have always had to schedule our events around the scheduling of men's and women's basketball and volleyball. This problem has been compounded this year because of the renovation of the building; therefore, it has not been available in September and October, when many acts are touring.

Despite these problems, the SGA has been very close to getting two acts that I think would have been very successful. In August, we put out an offer for Jimmy Buffet to perform here in November. Things were looking very good for this show until Buffet cancelled his fall tour plans. (I was so upset over this, I almost had to order a margarita.)

Following Buffet's cancellation, we began working on other bands. In late September, we put an offer out for the popular Top 40 band, The Outfield, to appear here November 6. Things were looking great for this show; in fact, Montevallo and University of South Alabama both got dates. Unfortunately, our bad luck continued and a radio station in Montgomery out bid us and took our date on them.

With all this in mind, I am still very optimistic about bringing some top acts to JSU this year. If you have any ideas or suggestions, please come by the SGA office or call us at 231-5490.

We have had some great support this year on many of our events from people at Jacksonville. A big thank you to Dr. Bascom Wood-
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'Beyond' too far off mark

The performances were polished. The set was well designed. The costumes and make-up were realistic.

Sounds good, right?

It should have been, but there was something just not quite right about the production of Eugene O'Neill's "Beyond the Horizon" on October 15.

Produced by the Drama Department, the play opened on the eve of O'Neill's ninety-ninth birthday. It tells the story of two brothers who love the same woman, and follows their lives for eight years, until the conflicts end with the death of one of the brothers.

Lee Pope portrayed the sickly brother who gets the girl and the family farm and lives (for a while) to regret it. Pope turned in another fine performance, handling the poetic and difficult lines of Robert Mayo with finesse. His final scene, in which he must die and remain on stage while the other characters finish the play, was superbly acted.

Laurel Reed, playing the woman loved by two men and loving neither, showed her ability to step in and fill the void left by Tara Bennett as the First Lady of JSU Theater. A fine actress with a marvelous speaking voice, she should enjoy a happy and fulfilling season.

Perhaps the best thing about the show was Tony Randall. Although he has appeared here in previous productions, this performance was his finest. He had an excellent New Englandish accent, and has a face that adapts well to playing roles several years older or younger than he actually is. His maturation over the eight years of the play was convincing and believable.

With these good performances,

which were backed up by the fine supporting cast of Whitt Brantley, Kelly McCreless, Ralph Dobbins, Lisa Urban, Johnny Cassiano, and David A. Smith, it is hard to believe that the show was not any better than it was.

It just did not have the spark that JSU productions usually have. The direction was fine, but the action seemed to drag, and O'Neill's tendency toward flowery poetic speeches was tiring. Anyone not a fan or student of his would have a hard time keeping involved in the

play.

Another problem is a fine line in O'Neill between the heavily dramatic and the melodramatic. There were a few instances where this line was crossed, and the audience laughed.

There were so many good things about this performance, but the production just did not work. It lacked the fire and power that it should have had, and left many audience members feeling ambivalent about it.

BEYOND
THE
HORIZON
BY EUGENE O'NEILL

Silent Reign wins talent search

By C. A. Abernathy
Chanticleer Staff Writer

Local music has been an ever-changing aspect of entertainment on and around campus this semester. Recently SILENT REIGN competed in and WON the local Seagram's talent search, with finals held at the Castaway in Gadsden. Band members are very excited and looking forward to regional competition. Their original entry, "Not Looking Back," is a hard-hitting rock ballad (it is a

favorite of fans as well as the band). Members are RICK BURGESS, lead vocals; GREG BURGESS, bass and vocals; CHUCK MASON, guitar, vocals; JAMIE CLARK, drums; and LOUIS WATSON, keyboards.

This is one band on the way up. With their dedication, determination and strong original songs, they are pursuing a record contract (a dream of many bands, but one few achieve). The goal grows closer with each win, so yet another dream may shortly be real for SILENT

REIGN.

Competition was high, and other participating bands which scored high in earlier rounds include BLACK WATER, RELIKS, SLIM JACK, and DESIREE and STRUTTIN'. Named as winners in the semi-finals were BLACK WATER and RELIKS. Overall scores were taken into consideration for the finals, and thus the final four also included TIN PAN ALLEY.

Each of these bands deserve only the best; music is a career for many of them. Many other members juggle day jobs and playing show dates. Who are the members of these hard-working bands? (available information below)

RELIKS

ROSS YOUNG--drums, vocals
DALE CARTER--bass, vocals
CHRIS ATKINS--guitar, vocals
Jamie Robertson--keyboards, lead vocals (and some guitar).

DESIREE and STRUTTIN'

DESIREE FITTS--lead vocals, drums
FELICIA LINDSEY--vocals, keyboards

DAVID LUTTRELL--keyboards
RUSTY HOLCOMB--guitar
ANDY WALLS--bass
DENNIS PREWETT--drums
JOEY LIVELY--lead guitar
JASON VICE--also on keyboards.
More updates on later rounds as information becomes available.



Silent Reign (plus one)

Rush activities vary

By ZENOBLIA PETTWAY
Chanticleer Staff Writer

According to Webster, "rush" is to move swiftly, but to Jacksonville State University and many other college campuses around the world, it is an entirely different technique used during the semester among the Greek organizations.

Becoming a member of a Greek organization has a lasting effect on the members.

"We emphasize engagement in cultural education and public service activities, and require 24 completed hours," said Thresa Burge, a newly pledged member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority.

Burge also adds that pledging is a hard process, yet in the end, it is well worth it.

Initiation rituals are also an important part of pledging.

"It teaches the cardinal principles of manhood, perseverance, scholarship, and uplift," said Omega Psi Phi member Kenneth Morrisette.

These rituals usually consist of walking in a line, addressing the members of the Greek organization by saying, "Yes, big brother or sister," and other things of this nature.

The rush meeting itself usually covers a variety of things. Prayer is held, introductions are made, and sometimes even door prizes are

given out.

"During our meeting, we discuss academic achievement, intellectual development, and stress social maturity to interested female students," said Lenese Eberhart, a member of Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority.

The fraternity rush meetings are similar to those of a sorority, but are known as "smokers." These smokers consist of a brief history of the fraternity itself.

"We were the first black fraternity on an Ivy League campus, which was Cornell University," said Alpha Phi Alpha member Reginald Carr.

The Kappa Alpha Psi fraternity and the Phi Beta Sigma fraternity held their smokers as early as three weeks into the semester.

"We had approximately twenty young men seeking to become distinguished members of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity," said member Walter Garfield.

Rush week, with its excitement and intrigue, bring curiosity to those not participating; however, according to Alpha Phi Alpha member Ted Bridges, "Greek life is the ultimate life."

"Being a member of Alpha Phi Alpha fraternity has really been a great influence on my attitudes and ideas; moreover, it is a vital catalyst in our community," said Bridges.

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Alpha Kappa Alpha

Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority attended the Southeastern Regional Area meeting in Gadsden on Saturday, October 10. The sorors of Lambda Pi chapter at Jax State had a truly enjoyable time at Cluster III A, hosted by the graduate chapter of Lambda Eta Omega of Gadsden.

The sorors in attendance were Marshall Jackson, Angie Lockhart, Supima Davis, Deirdre Durr, Lenese Eberhart, and Robin Harris. All sorors were given inspirational messages on the Black Family, and attended workshops on Sickle-Cell Anemia Awareness, Sisterly Relations, traditionally black colleges, and even got hints on self-defense.

AKA also had their annual Fall Rush in September. The history of the sorority was discussed and there was a "getting-to-know-you" session. There was food and fun for all. This was truly a "skee-wee" affair! Keep up the hard work sorors, and Happy Birthday Soror Robin!

Phi Mu

Phi Mu has a great fun-filled semester planned with mixers, the Farm Party, the Crush Party, and the first annual Mother-Daughter Tea. The Phi Mus are looking forward to their first mixer with Pi Kappa Phi on October 22.

Congratulations to all Phi Mus who received bids from fraternities for little sister rush. They are: Mary Chamberlain, Donna Williams, and Amy Meyers, Pi Kappa Phi; Amy Todd, Jamie Slotton, Tamie Smith and Michele Holcomb, Alpha Tau Omega; and Jennifer Shell, Dawn McDougal, Christie Woodsmall, Leslie Wiram, Sherry Brittain, Cheryl Vedel, Debbie Carlisle, Kim Mulverhill, Sheri Mooney, and Michelle Moore, Kappa Sigma.

Phi Mu would like to thank everyone who bought a raffle ticket from the Phi Mu Raffle Booth during J-Day.

Congratulations also go out to Heather Seckle and Kim Mulverhill for being selected Phi of the Week.

This week is initiation week for Lisa Cardwell, Suzanne Chumbler, Michele Mulpus, and Gina Williams. The Phi Mus are proud of these girls and would like to wish them the best of luck.

Lambda Alpha Epsilon

On October 14, Lambda Alpha Epsilon, the American Criminal Justice fraternity, met and decided to have the annual Halloween Party on October 28 at the F.O.P. Lodge in Weaver. There will be prizes for the best costumes, and music will be provided. LAE will sponsor a raffle to raise money to sponsor charities. This will take place the first week of November. Our annual membership drive recruited 72 members into the fraternity.

Sigma Nu

The brothers of the Iota Lambda chapter of Sigma Nu would like to extend their congratulations to the following: Chris Morgan, Brother of the Week; John Fumbanks, Pledge of the Week; and Noreen Johnson, Little Sister of the Week.

These individuals have done an outstanding job for Sigma Nu during the past week and all of their hard work merits recognition. Well done, everyone!

A special thank-you goes out to the Sigma Nu pledge class for representing us at the pep rally last

Thursday night. The theme for the spirit competition was "Pyramid," and the pledges did an excellent job of constructing an ancient Egyptian temple. It is too bad that the pledge pyramid did not last as long as the Egyptian version.

Thanks also to all the Nus who participated in the Atlanta Falcons fund raising project. The Nus left early Sunday morning and worked at the Atlanta-San Francisco football game selling beer and cokes. Thanks to all the hard work, the Snakes managed to raise \$400. Way to go Snakes!

The brothers would like to welcome our 17 new little sisters to the family. It is the hope of every brother that their time as little sisters will be both happy and memorable.

The brothers would also like to welcome three new pledges: Mike Brown, Scott McCray, and Joey Mitchell. Welcome aboard, gentlemen.

Congratulations to Coach Ross "Tango" Osborne and his "Butt Snake" volleyball team on an impressive victory over Coach Bernie "Baracus" Moxley and his A-team squad. After the dust had settled, Coach Moxley said of his team, "The Men" were simply not prepared for the Butt Snake assault." However, he went on to say, "If Coach Osborne thinks this is over, he is sadly mistaken. 'The Men' will not rest until those turkeys are put in their place!" Coach Osborne was not available for comment.

On the lighter side, the Big Brother-Little Brother cook-out was held last Saturday before the Jacksonville-Delta State game. The cook-out was designed to give the brothers a chance to get better acquainted. Comments by the brothers and pledges indicate that the cook-out was a success.

Last Thursday was the Brother-Little Sister Mixer. The theme was "Let's Make A Deal." After an interesting evening of wheeling and dealing, everyone made comment of the great time they had enjoyed.

Alpha Phi Omega

Alpha Phi Omega Service Fraternity would like to welcome its eighteen Fall 1987 pledges.

They are: Sharon Bedford, Scott Burnett, Janette Chambers, Joseph Forrester, Jennifer Garnett, William Gates, Timothy Glover, Christina Howland, Hiromi Kiyama, Jeanetta Long, Gwendolyn McElrath, Lorraine McKinney, Joseph Moore, Riitta Silvennoinen, Renar Sonoga, Robert Vance III, Coleman Vice, Alison Ward, Dawn Annette Williams, and Thom Pannell.

During their pledgeship this semester, they will be involved in several service activities, such as ushering various plays in Stone Center, assisting local Boy Scouts, and a special service project to take place later this semester. Good luck, pledges!

Delta Zeta

The sisters of Delta Zeta enjoyed a terrific weekend of sisterhood as they held Big Brother Initiation on Friday, October 9. Congratulations are extended to Bobby McGhee, Keith Barrier, Oscar Honeycutt, Zachery Maner, and Tim Jones. We love you all!

Saturday, October 10, both actives and pledges spent the day at the 4-H Center in Columbiana, AL.

Pledges enjoyed learning songs and getting acquainted with one another while grilling out and roasting marshmallows around a campfire. The weather was gorgeous and the retreat was a success due to the efforts of Carla Byrum. Thanks a bunch!

Congratulations are also in order for DeeZees receiving little sister bids. They are: Christie Williams, ATO; Cassie Mobley and Becky McKay, Delta Chi; Cindy Armbruster, Kappa Sigma; Chris English, Ellen Tibbetts, Tonya Smith, and Jeannie Walters, Sigma Nu; and Dawn Landers, Jackie Derrick, Dana Kilgore, Jeanne Cardin, Robin Presley, and Diane Hogan-camp, Sigma Chi.

This weekend, everyone will be traveling to Georgia to do some fundraising at Six Flags. Hopefully, there will be time to enjoy a few of the park's attractions. Careful on those highways!

DZ would also like to welcome its three newest pledges: Faith Woodruff, Alicia Cantrell, and Melisa Barnhart. We're excited to include you!

A special sisterhood ceremony was held after the House Meeting on Tuesday. Everyone is thrilled with the growth of the sorority and the service brought everyone closer.

Thanks are extended to Big Brother Keith Barrier for replacing our "Smurf" TV with his own for the VCR party. It was nice to take a look at some other colors in the spectrum!

Finally, congrats to last week's Sister of the Week, Carla Byrum, and last week's Pledge of the Week, Dana Kilgore.

Delta Chi

Delta Chi would like to welcome all our new little sisters. These ladies are sure to be an asset to our organization.

Our "Hollywood" mixer with Delta Zeta was a blast. We are looking forward to having another mixer with them next semester.

The Delta Chi football team is sure to make the playoffs again this year. We've won most of our games, and the games that we have lost have only been by a one-point margin.

Sigma Delta Chi

Sigma Delta Chi, the organization for professional journalists, held their new member initiation ceremony last Monday, October 12. Nineteen new faces pledged into the organization, and are as follows: Roy Williams, Vicky Wallace, Tracey Tucker, Audrey Rhue, Kim Richey, Kelly Rize, Michelle McMyler, Shondra Howard, Tony Bright, Adam Calvert, Sonja Chambers, John Davenport, Steve Gordon, Gary Hammond, Jennifer Hetherington, Jennifer Higgins, Kathy Sowell, and Christina Howland.

The national convention for Sigma Delta Chi is going to be held in Chicago, Illinois, November 11-14. We are proudly sending: Richard Nieves, Cheri Holsclaw, Stacy Boozer, LaDonna Blevins, Karen Cole, Caroline Stringfellow, Lisa Evans, and Dr. Robin Eoff.

Sigma Delta Chi is now in its second year here at Jax State and is growing rapidly, with 40 active members at present.

Alpha Xi Delta

The sisters of Alpha Xi Delta would like to thank all of the other

sororities for participating in our Greek Social. It was a nice get-together, and a great way of promoting Greek unity here.

Also, thanks to all those who donated to the Special Olympics roadblock held by Alpha Xi. Those special children will really enjoy the activities funded through your contributions.

Secret Set-Up was a smash!!! Everyone was really rockin', and the Mystery Dates worked out great. We just cannot wait until Soc Hop on Nov. 13 when we can party together again.

Congratulations to Xi's recently selected as fraternity little sisters: Debby Morrow, Pi Sigma Chi; Valerie Powell, Delta Chi; Leah Dowdy and Dyvonia Hubbard, Alpha Tau Omega; Dee Dee Jarrell and Jenny Brewer, Pi Kappa Phi; and Rebecca Frost, Kappa Sigma.

Also, congratulations goes out to Becky Cardwell, Pledge of the Week.

Fuzzies enjoyed a closed weekend of special sisterhood time, including going to a ballgame together, and also attending church together.

Finally, Alpha Xis are too excited about partying with the brothers of Pi Sigma Chi. Last semester's mixer with Sigma Chi was a blast, and this one promises to be even better!!

Pi Sigma Chi

The petitioning local chapter of Sigma Chi, Pi Sigma Chi, is proud to have all the new ladies joining our Little Sig program. They are all very enthusiastic about being Little Sigs. Our Little Sig program is a powerful asset to the fraternity as a whole and their work is always appreciated.

The year seems to be flying by and the excitement has been building for our first mixer of the year with the ladies of Alpha Xi Delta. When two groups of people come together to party the way we do, the results are incredible. It all happens tonight. Don't miss this party for any reason.

Our plans for Halloween are right on schedule and additional details will be coming up.

A special thanks to Rick Engman for all the work he has done to the

house. We couldn't have picked a better house chairman.

Zeta Tau Alpha

The sisters of Zeta Tau Alpha would like to thank Kappa Sigma fraternity for a great "60's" mixer on October 14. We are looking forward to the "Pajama Party" mixer with ATO on October 22.

The annual Hoedown was held on October 16 and was a great success.

Congratulations to Kim Richey on being crowned 1987 Homecoming Queen, and to Teisha Venable as fourth runner-up.

The following girls have accepted little sister bids: Meg Hoffman and Amy Procter, ATO; Kristen Boulter, Sally Brock, Stephanie Caldwell, and Kathy Domenico, Kappa Sigma; and Angela Burgess, Vickie Bailey, Jody Brittain, Traci Forbes, Diane Fuller, Pam Hamilton, Michelle Horton, Lisa Houston, Amy Hyde, Chris Spradlin, and Lane Stinson, Pi Kappa Phi.

Congratulations also go out to the newest members of Zeta Psi chapter: Nan Green, Natalie Heynys, Holly Savas, Gena Swords, and Kimberly Waddell, and to Dr. Robin Eoff, new membership advisor.

SAM

The Society for the Advancement of Management held their second meeting Wednesday, October 14, which included hearing from Hank Humphrey, an employee of the Russell Corporation. Humphrey spoke about the new line of products called "JERZEES - Built to Last." He also spoke about new Russell plants, discount stores, and distribution centers. The next SAM meeting will be posted on the business bulletin board on the second floor of Merrill Hall.

Wesley Foundation

On Monday, November 2, the Wesley Foundation will offer a program on self protection for students and faculty led by Officer Pearl Williams of the JSU Police Department. There will be a dinner featuring "Indian" food prepared by Thomas Matthews, a native of India. The meal is \$2 and the program is free.

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ward; Mr. Kirkland, Business Office; Jerry Harris, News Bureau; Ed Hill, University Photographer; Pete Brooks; Melissa Birchfield and Mary Hannah, Homecoming; Roger Allen, Cyndi Owens, and John Davenport, Publicity; Tina Smith,

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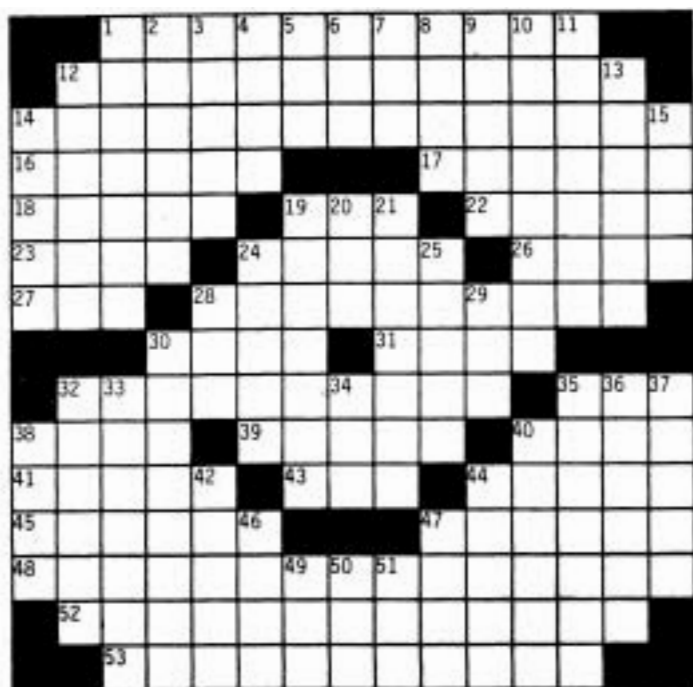
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 50 1968 film, "— Station Zebra"
 51 1965 film, "— Ryan's Express"

Answer



Violent crimes continue on college campuses

(CPS) -- Students enrolled at large rural or suburban campuses are more likely to be victims of violent crime than students at large urban commuter campuses, a recent survey of campus violence has found.

In its survey of 764 colleges, Towson (Md.) State University also discovered that alcohol -- not drugs -- was a factor in most violent crime cases, that students now are more apt to report "date rape," that students at the largest schools experience the most physical assaults, and that vandals are more likely to be caught and prosecuted at smaller campuses than at larger ones.

In general, campuses are becoming more dangerous places, others add. A decade ago campuses were relatively safe, says Michael Smith, who teaches criminal justice at Southern Mississippi and whose book "Coping with Crime on Campus" will be published later this year.

Today, he says a comparison of campus crime rates with the FBI's Uniform Crime Statistics indicates college rates are "slightly higher than in society."

"Most of the violent crime we are talking about is student-to-student, rather than perpetrators coming onto the campus," says Jan M. Sherrill, Towson's assistant vice president for student affairs.

Sherrill thinks the relative safety of students at urban schools is "because urban settings are considered more dangerous so students are more careful, while students in the suburbs consider themselves safe and don't look over their shoulders."

About a third of the schools in the survey reported increases in violent crime, a statistic Sherrill says "shows we are in trouble."

He notes campus police and student affairs administrators usually reported stable crime rates, but residence directors perceived increases.

"The residence directors are on the front lines," Sherrill says. "They see the incidents on a first-hand basis and they see things that don't make it into the statistics."

University of Minnesota Residence Director Ralph Rickgarn, or one, reported no increase in violent crime, but says his colleagues have noticed a greater awareness of violence.

"I don't think there has been an increase in date rape," he says.

"I think any increase is an artifact of reporting, of the greater awareness that any forced sex is rape."

Dean Edgar F. Beckham of Wesleyan University in Middletown, Conn., agrees that "awareness has been effective in decreasing (date rape) incidents."

But violent crime as been increasing at other campuses.

At Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos, Tx., for example, the number of reported assaults jumped from 18 in 1985 to 29 in 1986. Although two of the 1986 cases proved to be "unfounded," police officer Kathleen Wolff says, "anytime there is personal injury involved, we pay a lot of attention."

In general, small private schools seem to be a lot safer than large schools, regardless of their location.

"I know I'm not the norm, but we have had only one aggravated assault in three years," says Rose Hollister, director of campus life at the College of St. Francis, a Joliet, Ill., institution with an enrollment of 3,850.

"At a small college, the campus security and the administration can really have their fingers on the pulse of the school," she says. "A large college is so impersonal it can get away from you."

Smith also thinks that "at the mega-universities you can't tell a student from an intruder. It's a different physical environment than the small colleges where everyone knew each other."

"Things are serious," Smith says. "Appropriate campus responses have to be developed and better crime awareness and prevention programs should be put in place. We are seeing some progress in

courtship violence and date rape, but we have to make it clear that all forms of violence are unacceptable."

Still other campus officials feel some of the concern may be

directed at perceptions rather than hard facts.

"Students had the feeling that our camps was unsafe at night," says Lt. Robert Hagerman of Trenton (N.J.) State College campus police.



Date: October 28, 1987

Time: 7:00 p.m. & 9:30 p.m.

Place: 3rd Floor, Theron Montgomery Building

'Pickup Artist' not Ringwald's best

For anyone who comes to the theater to see *The Pickup Artist* expecting a "cute" Molly Ringwald movie like *Sixteen Candles*—forget it. For that matter, do not even expect a film that is like the previews. Although from the beginning it appears that this will be a light-hearted comedy, the plot thickens—and thickens. This time it turns out that sweet little Molly is in trouble with a bunch of gangsters—a far cry from the innocent prom-queen image of her other films.

Robert Downey stars as Jack Jericho, a smooth-talking womanizer who happens upon Randy Jensen (Ringwald) and decides she is much more than just another fling. He pursues her relentlessly, only to find that she has a quick comeback for all his best lines. Both Downey and Ringwald have their share of snappy dialogue, and she of course begins to take quite a liking

to Jack, who is admittedly appealing. Trouble is, she owes \$20,000 to some gangsters to repay a debt of her father's. So, in her determination to pay back the debt, she tries to shake him off by rebuffing his skillful advances. (Well, most of them, anyway.) There is still a great deal of spark between the two that keeps this movie from being a bore.

Still, I was disappointed. The plot seemed unlikely, yet predictable at the same time.

The acting was fine. Ringwald's image is distinctly different, but her acting ability still comes through. Downey is convincing and amusing in his devil-may-care way. A little better direction could have saved this picture.

The Pick-Up Artist is worth seeing, as long as you see it with no hope of what the previews promise.

-- ELLEN ALEXANDER

Miss Weatherly named



Photo by Ken Crover

Twyla Byers and Leslie Turner

On October 1, 1987 the Miss Weatherly contest was held in the basement of Weatherly Hall. After tying for first place four times, Leslie Turner and Twyla Byers were both chosen to represent Miss Weatherly.

The contest was based on talent, formal war and a question that was asked of each contestant.

Leslie is the daughter of Ms.

Mary Turner of College Park, Georgia. Her major is communications with a minor in drama. She enjoys singing, dancing, and talking.

Twyla is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Byers of Ashville, Alabama. Her major is computer science with a minor in mathematics. She enjoys reading, singing, dancing, and talking on the phone.

Schultz award restructured

Cincinnati -- The Scripps Howard Foundation has announced a restructuring of the Charles M. Schulz Award for Promising Cartoonists, according to Albert J. Schottelkotte, president and Chief Executive Officer, Scripps Howard Foundation.

The Award, sponsored by the Scripps Howard Foundation and funded by United Feature Syndicate, will honor outstanding college cartoonists and encourage them to launch post-graduate professional careers. Any student cartoonist on a college newspaper or college magazine in the United States and territories is eligible.

"By changing the emphasis of

this prestigious award, we hope to put the focus on the aspiring student cartoonist seeking a career in this industry, rather than the already established cartoonist," Schottelkotte said.

The Award was created in 1980 to honor Charles M. Schulz on the thirtieth anniversary of his classic comic strip, *PEANUTS*, which is distributed by United Feature Syndicate, a division of Scripps Howard. A cash prize of \$2,000 and citations to the winner and to the college publication will be presented at the annual Scripps Howard Foundation National Journalism Awards banquet, to be held on April 5, 1988.

Reception held for Pearson

By Joey Luallen
Staff Writer

A reception was held for an art exhibit by Dr. Clifton Pearson. Dr. Pearson works in the Art Department at Alabama A&M. His works of ceramic and blown glass were displayed.

Some of the pieces were as simple as glass paper weights while others were very ornate as in his ceramic depiction of Indian shoulder masks. The masks show Dr. Pearson's interest in primitive cultures.

"I am very manipulative of the material I work with," he added, motioning to more abstract works.

Dr. Pearson calls his work "Ceramic Celebrations" because he sees it as "a celebration of art."

The reception was sponsored by the Art Department.



Ceramic artist Clifton Pearson of Alabama A&M, left, discusses one of his works with Jacksonville State University Assistant Professor of Art Marvin Shaw, right. Pearson's work is on display through October 30 in Hammond Hall Gallery on campus.

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JSU comes close, yet so far away

By SCOTT SWISHER
Chanticleer Staff Writer

It has often been said that "close counts only in horseshoes and hand grenades." The Jax State Gamecocks found this out recently in a tough 15-13 loss to Mississippi College.

The Gamecocks went into Clinton, Miss. seeking revenge for the previous week's stunning homecoming loss they suffered at the hands of Valdosta State Blazers. The Choctaws, however, had other plans. Jacksonville State also hurt themselves by not putting points on the board at critical times.

Jacksonville State won the opening toss and deferred to the second half. Mississippi College came out fighting as they put together an excellent drive on their opening possession. The Choctaws drove 62 yards down to the Gamecock 31 yardline, while eating up seven and a half minutes of the first quarter. The Jax State defense rose up and stopped the drive. MC failed to cash in on the drive as Shane Stewart missed a 23-yard field goal.

This opening drive was a sign of things to come.

Mississippi College's offense played impressively. They managed to roll up 260 yards against a good all-round effort defensive by Jax State. Running back Fred McAfee

picked up 104 yards on just fourteen carries.

Defensively, the Choctaws were anchored by the 21 tackle performance turned in by Darrell Hopkins.

The Gamecock defense was playing on only seven cylinders with injuries hampering their line-backing corps. Two standout linebackers, Warren Butts and Rod Williams, were on the sidelines with injuries. Despite the injuries, the "Red Bandit" defense stood up to the Choctaws. Ronnie Crutcher, Orlando Adams, and Jason Meadows each had nine tackles, while Tommy Savant, Freddy Goodwin, and Byron Stewart claimed six each.

Offensively, the Gamecocks did give a good effort. They rolled up 261 yards total offense and had 19 first downs. Most of this was due to excellent play of the offensive line.

Perhaps the best news to come out of the game was Terry Thomas' 63-yards rushing performance that put him over the 1,000 yard mark for his career. Thomas now has 1,027 total career yards, and is 13th on the all time rushing list.

The special teams were ultimately the Gamecocks' undoing. Coach Bill Burgess stresses the importance of the special teams play. This part of the game can make or break a team. JSU's special teams

had an uncharacteristically poor game, giving up 60 yards in kickoff returns, missing two field goals, and one extra point. These mistakes proved to be very costly for Jax State.

The Gamecocks got on the scoreboard first early in the second quarter. Starting on its own 28, JSU marched 72 yards on 16 plays for the score. Pat White capped the drive with a two-yard plunge to give Jax State a 6-0 lead. Ashley Kay missed the extra point try, beginning what would be one of his toughest nights in a Gamecock uniform.

This drive proved to be Jacksonville State's most impressive of the game. Terry Thomas accounted for 34 of the 72 yards on the drive.

MC's Fred McAfee returned the ensuing kickoff 60 yards back to the JSU 30 yardline. Four plays later, quarterback Russ Purvis found Louis Riley in the end zone for a 19-yard touchdown pass. Mississippi College then failed to convert the extra point, and the score stood at 6-6 with 13:01 left in the second quarter.

The pivotal play of the game came on Jax State's next possession. The Gamecocks had a first down on their own 48 yardline and were driving. The drive came to a screeching halt when quarterback State Patrick was sacked in the

backfield and fumbled the ball. MC's Shinall Conway recovered at the 43 yardline.

The Choctaws quickly cashed in on the opportunity. With 7:36 remaining in the second quarter, McAfee scampered into the end zone from 14 yards out to give MC a 12-6 lead. The Choctaw's two-point conversion attempt was no good, and the lead stood at 12-6 at half-time.

Jacksonville State got things going in the third quarter when they took their opening possession in for a touchdown. Danny Brock put JSU in business when he broke loose for a 23-yard gain down to the Mississippi College 11. Three plays later, Terry Thomas went in from three yards out to for the score. Ashley Kay connected on the PAT, and Jax State held a narrow 13-12 lead.

The Choctaws took over on offense and quickly moved into Jax State territory. The Gamecock defense then got stingy and stopped MC on third down and goal from the 5. The Choctaws settled for a 23-yard field goal by Shane Stewart to give MC a 15-13 lead with 5:29 left in the third quarter. This would prove to be the final margin of victory.

Jax State could not take advan-

tage of its opportunities to win the game. The Gamecocks came storming back with a 16 play, 63-yard drive down to the Mississippi College seven yardline. The Gamecocks could not put the ball in the end zone. Ashley Kay, who had earlier missed a 27-yard field goal, missed his second attempt of the night when he was wide on a 24-yard attempt with 13:42 left in the game.

Neither team's offense could put points on the board throughout the rest of the game. JSU got the ball for the last time with just under six minutes left in the game. The Choctaws rose up and stopped the Gamecocks at their own 19 yardline. Rather than taking a chance on giving the Choctaws good field position, Coach Burgess elected to punt on fourth down, hoping JSU would get the ball back once more. They never saw it again, as Mississippi College ran the clock out to end the game.

For Jacksonville State, the loss was especially hard to swallow because they played their hearts out. JSU had more first downs, more total yards, and held the ball nearly three minutes longer than MC. But as the saying goes, close counts only in horseshoes, and not in final scores in football.

Gamecocks outlast Delta State

Earl Wise
Chanticleer Staff Writer

Jacksonville State came into Saturday night's game against Delta State with a two game losing streak, their backs against the wall, and the task of facing a powerful Delta State offense. The Gamecocks used "The best week of practice they have had all year," as described by Coach Bill Burgess, and a surprise passing attack to defeat Delta State 36-34 in a "nail biting" confronta-

tion Saturday night.

Coming into the Delta State game, the Gamecocks only had a total of 227 yards passing on the year. By the end of the first half, Pat White, David Gullledge, and Garey Waiters had passed for 213 yards.

The Gamecocks caught the Statesmen defense off guard on the fourth play of the game with a halfback pass from Waiters to Ronnie Oliver for a 60 yard touchdown.

Ashley Kay's PAT was good with 13:45 left in the first quarter, and the Gamecocks took an early 7-0 lead.

On the sixth play from scrimmage, the Gamecock defense sacked Delta State quarterback Alton Marshall. Marshall fumbled on the sack, and linebacker Rodney Kinnie recovered for the Gamecocks.

The Gamecock offense wasted no time. After driving 38 yards in six plays, quarterback Pat White on a keeper ramblled six yards for a touchdown. Kay's PAT failed, and the Gamecocks held a 13-0 lead with 8:51 left in the first quarter.

The Statesmen then wasted no time in answering the score. After marching 68 yards in seven plays, Londale Bankston, one of leading rushers in Division II, scampered 30 yards for the Statesmen's first touchdown of the game. The PAT was good, and the Gamecock's lead was narrowed to 13-7 with 6:35 left in the first quarter.

The Gamecocks once again struck quickly on offense. In ten plays the Gamecocks drove 58 yards for a touchdown. Fullback Gregg Dragg hammered up the middle for a two yard touchdown run. Gullledge's two-point conversion pass failed,

and the Gamecock's took a 19-7 lead.

On Delta's next possession, the Gamecock defense stopped the Statesmen on fourth and three. The Gamecock offense once again drove 75 yards in ten plays behind quarterback David Gullledge for a touchdown. Solomon Rivers plunged in from two yards out for the score. Kay's PAT was good, and the Gamecocks took a commanding 26-7 lead with 12:25 remaining in the first half.

The Gamecocks looked to be in command, but the Statesmen "never threw in the towel," stated Burgess. The Statesmen came right back with a beautiful touchdown pass from quarterback Alton Marshall to receiver Rodney Hughes for a 70 yard touchdown strike. The PAT was good, and Delta State narrowed the lead to 26-14.

Invitational to be held

JACKSONVILLE -- The first annual Jacksonville State University Gamecock Invitational Tennis Tournament will be held November 6, 7, and 8 at Pete Mathews Coliseum.

Deadline for registration is November 4. The draw for the tournament will be held on the fifth. A

After both teams exchanged possessions, the Gamecocks in two plays marched 54 yards for another touchdown score. Solomon Rivers ramblled 11 yards for the score. Kay's PAT was good, and with 4:36 left in the first half, the Gamecocks led 33-14.

Jacksonville State once again looked to be in full control of the game. But on the first play of DSU's next drive, Londale Bankston raced 61 yards and was knocked out of bounds at the one yard line. Jeff Umfress then plugged up the middle for the score. The PAT was blocked, and with 4:17 left to play in the first half the score was narrowed to 33-20.

The Gamecocks struck back with another scoring drive. Ashley Kay kicked a 38-yard field goal to end the Gamecock's scoring campaign. (See DELTA, Page 14)

\$10 fee will be charged for each event. Championship level competition will be held for men and women. The tournament will feature singles, doubles, and mixed doubles.

For further information contact Steve Bailey at 435-2578 after 7 p.m.

SGA to sponsor busrides to UNA game

By JEFFREY ROBISON
Chanticleer Senior Editor

The SGA will sponsor bus transportation to the Jacksonville State-North Alabama game that will be played this Saturday, October 24, in Florence. The price to ride the bus will be \$3.00, and those interested may sign up at the SGA office in

Theron Montgomery Building. The buses will leave from the Theron Montgomery Building parking lot at 1:30 P.M. on Saturday. The game is set to kick off at 7:00 P.M.

This will be the second time this season that bus transportation has been provided to an away game.

According to SGA Vice President Greg Harley, the busride sponsored for the West Georgia game in Carrollton was very successful. The

SGA and the Chanticleer encourage everyone to take advantage of this service and go support our Gamecocks.



Gullledge (2) directs offense

The Press Box

NFL strike: ridiculous, unproductive, and finally over

Well, the National Football League strike is over. It's about time.

The whole situation with this strike has been ridiculous. Harsh words from both the players and the owners and violence at some training camps have only served to tarnish the image of both parties involved. It certainly has done nothing to remedy the situation that



Jeffrey Robinson

Sports Editor

caused the strike in the first place.

Looking back on this situation, it seems that all the hoopla surrounding the strike has diminished the real reason the strike happened in the first place.

The NFL Players Association was demanding that they be given a better pension plan and more freedom under the free-agency system. The owners, on the other hand, refused to budge on either of these two issues. The result was an ordeal that stretched out far too long and ended with no significant changes. The players are now going back to work without a contract.

When you look at both sides of this strike, it is easy to see what the players and the owners base their arguments on. You cannot fault the players for wanting a decent pension plan. Financial security is something that is important to all of us. Knowing that we will be able to survive after retirement is undoubtedly a preoccupation with everyone.

The free-agency problem is a little more confusing. What the players apparently want is more freedom to move from one team to another. Which team a player plays for is, for the most part, a decision the players really have no control over. It is also understandable, though, that maybe the players do not want to be treated like goods traded and sold on an open market.

The owners also pose arguments that hold water. They feel that they are paying players too much as it is. Monster contracts to big time players can strap an owner with a huge payroll. If the team does not play well, it can be hard to raise enough money to meet that payroll.

As far as free-agency goes, the owners would probably not have it any other way than how it is now. They certainly do not want to let players have a lot of say in where they are going to play. They would be cutting their own throats.

There are not any simple solutions to this ordeal. Both sides have so far refused to budge on most of their demands. This stubbornness has been the reason why no contract could be negotiated. This brings about a very simple question: Was the strike worth it?

My answer to this is no. Since nothing could be worked out, it was really a waste of time. What is really amazing is the fact that the players gave up all of that money they lost while not playing. This does not help out their arguments for more money very much. And this whole situation with salaries and pensions is something most fans don't want to hear about.

Most players in the NFL probably make more in the few years they play than most of us will make in a lifetime. To hear them gripe about not being paid enough money when their salaries are already huge does not win many fans over to their side of the argument.

In my opinion, salaries are high enough as they are. They players should take what they have and be happy. After all, they are adults who are playing games for a living. I am not saying that what they do is easy, and I do want it known that I am a big football fan, but to be so greedy is uncalled for. The owners should give the players a decent pension after their retirement, however. This is one thing I feel they owe the players. The owners are, after all, the players' employers.

I also feel that free agency should remain, for the most part, like it is. To give the players a lot of freedom in deciding where to play would only cause pandemonium.

The ones who were hurt most by this strike is probably the fans. The owners did try to keep play going, but it just was not the same. In the long run, most fans simply refused to watch a so-called "scab game." They wanted to see all of their favorite players, not persons whose name they don't even now. The fans also had to put up with all the childish arguing, griping, and backbiting done between players and owners. The fans don't care about that. They just want to see football games played, and played with the players they have grown to know and admire. The only way to enjoy a replacement team game was if you pulled for a team like the Atlanta Falcons. They can't win with their regulars. Why not give someone else a shot.

Regardless of what has happened, it is high time that things got back to normal. The players and owners will have to sit down and figure out some kind of settlement, but don't take away our football games while you do it. We as fans really do not care how you work this out. We just want you striking players to do one thing—play ball.

JSU golf team competes in tournaments

By Brian Wilson

Chanticleer Staff Writer

On October 5th and 6th, the JSU golf team competed in the Tri-State Classic held at Pickwick State Park, Tennessee. The Gamecocks finished third overall among a field of sixteen teams with a score of 602. Troy State University won the tournament with a score of 595, followed by Austin-Peay at 599. The University of North Alabama tied Jacksonville State for third place.

According to golf coach James Hobbs, the Gamecocks led after the first day. They appeared to be in a very good position to win the tournament, but had a minor letdown on the second day. Robert McEachern obtained the lowest score for the team by shooting a two day total of 147 and made All-Tournament. He

was followed by Jim Stagmier, whose total was 149, and by Heath Davis, who shot 152. Chris Gray shot for a combined total of 154, while Randy Reaves shot 165.

Six of the teams that competed in the Tri-State Classic were from the Gulf South Conference. Of these, only Troy State fared better than the Gamecocks. Coach Hobbs noted that this was the first occasion for the team to play against its rival GSC teams. He feels that the team will be strong in conference competition this year. Also falling victim to the Gamecocks in the tournament were several Division I schools, including Tennessee Tech, Arkansas State, and Louisiana Tech.

The following week the golf team

traveled back to Tennessee to play in the Middle Tennessee Classic. The results, however, were not as good on this occasion as the Gamecocks finished 7th overall. Coach Hobbs said that the team did not perform well, but added that a difference in the kind of grass that the course was made up of may have been accountable. The low scorers for the Gamecocks were Jim Stagmier, who shot a combined score of 155, and Chris Gray, who shot 156.

The team will next compete in the West Georgia Invitational, which will be held on October 26th and 27th, before participating in the Alabama Intercollegiate championships on October 30th, 31st, and November 1st.

Delta

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and the score at the half was 36-20.

Early in the third quarter, the Gamecock defense made a brilliant goal line stand and spoiled a 13-play drive by the Statesmen. Possessions were exchanged throughout the third quarter, but with 1:40 left in the third quarter, the Statesmen drove 55 yards in eight plays for a touchdown. The drive was capped by Londale Bankston on an 11-yard run. The PAT was good, and as the third quarter ended, the score was narrowed to 36-27.

Disaster struck the Gamecocks once again. On the ensuing kickoff, Solomon Rivers fumbled on the Jacksonville 25 yardline. Delta State wasted no time in scoring. On the second play from scrimmage Londale Bankston sprinted for a 25-

yard touchdown score. The PAT was good, and with 14:44 left in the game, the Gamecock lead was cut to 36-34.

On the Gamecocks next possession they could gain no yards and were forced to punt. The Statesmen then proceeded to drive to the 22 yard line of Jacksonville State, but the Gamecock defense once again held them to fourth and seven. With 9:19 left in the game, the Statesmen were going to attempt the potential game winning field goal. JSU's Willie Hutchinson shot across the middle and blocked the kick.

The Gamecock defense held back all of Delta State's final drives, and the Jacksonville State Gamecocks held on for a 36-34 victory. The

Gamecocks upped their record to 4-2 overall, and 2-2 in the Gulf South Conference.

After the game, Coach Burgess stated, "The best thing about tonight is that we won. I do not want another game like this." Coach Burgess also said, "The student body played a major role in the ball game tonight, and I am very proud of our students here at JSU." Jacksonville State's next game is Saturday against nationally ranked North Alabama. Coach Burgess stated, "We are playing a nationally ranked team at their place, and if we're going to win, we will have to have the same kind of performance that we had tonight." Kickoff for Saturday night's game in Florence is at 7:00 p.m.

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A political review of methods and values.

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Terry Thomas sets record, lofty goals

By JEFFREY ROBINSON
Chanticleer Senior Editor

Reaching for the top.

Most everyone wants to be the best at whatever they do. JSU's Terry Thomas is definitely one who strives to give 100% in all that he does. That determination is paying off for the junior halfback from Bessemer.

In Jax State's game against Mississippi College, Thomas reached the 1,000-yard mark in his college career. Going into the game, Thomas had rushed for 964 yards in the two-and-a-half years he has played here at Jacksonville State. Thomas picked up the 34 yards he needed to break the barrier in the first half, reaching 1,000 yard with about four minutes left to go in the second quarter. Thomas finished the game with 63 yards on 19 carries to give him a total of 1,027 yards in his career. He is also 13th on the all-time rushing list.

Watching Terry Thomas on the field, one sees a burly 5-10, 237-pound halfback who can turn what looks like a two or three-yard gain into a pickup of eight or nine yards. Thomas constantly plows through the middle of opposing teams defenses. Stopping him is quite a task.

Off the field, however, Thomas' personality seems a bit different from what you might expect from someone who terrorizes opposing defenses with his running abilities. Thomas is very amiable and somewhat soft-spoken. The 21-year-old criminal justice major, whose hobbies are playing ping-pong and reading, seems to have his goals for college and life in perspective.

One reason Thomas chose to attend Jacksonville State was the fact that JSU runs a wishbone offense. "I was recruited by a lot of teams," Thomas says. "A lot of those teams played a split backfield offense or an offense that used more passing. Coach Burgess called me and said that JSU was a wishbone team. I knew that I would have more opportunities here."

Another thing that may have influenced Thomas' decision was the fact that Pat White, whom he attended high school with, also came to Jax State. "There's an interesting story behind that. Pat and I have been playing football together since the seventh or eighth grade, probably the past six or seven years."

Thomas says the fact that he and White know each other so well and are familiar with how each other play is beneficial to his performance. "That helps out alot. I know pretty much what he's going to do."

Thomas says that he is happy with his decision to attend Jacksonville State. Having friends who attend school here helped him to make the transition from high school to college.

"Being at Jax State has helped me with my grades. If I were going to a bigger college, that might be more of a problem. Everybody's really nice here. I have several professors who I am good friends with. They will talk to me a lot and are very nice."

It was impressive to hear Thomas speak of the good relationship that

the players have with head coach Bill Burgess. According to Thomas, there is a great deal of respect for Coach Burgess among the team members.

"Everybody's crazy about Coach Burgess. The man just wants to win, and everybody wants to help him win. You know what he expects from you. Just give him 110%, and he's easy to work with."

Thomas days that playing football is something very important in his life.

"It gives me an uplift, and it gives me something to shoot for," he says. "It has helped to make me more mature."

When talking about breaking the 1,000 yard mark, Thomas says that he really did not notice that he was

getting so close to the milestone. His accomplishment is more impressive when one considers the fact that during his freshman year, he played behind starting fullback Mickey Vickers. His record has been impressive for such a short amount of time. i

"Breaking the 1,000-yard mark is a great feeling. Just having my name in the record books here is worth a lot. Being in shape and going through two-a-days really paid off. It's worth it--all that sweat and getting hurt."

Going through all of the practices and working hard has given Thomas a tremendous drive to do the best he can. Because of the hard work, Thomas says that there is an added determination to win. He says he

feels as if all the hard work will help the Gamecocks pull out of the recent slump that has seen them lose two games.

"We are going to come out of it. That's assured."

Thomas is emphatic about what his goals in the immediate future are. He says that he is of course looking to be one of the best rushers JSU has ever had. He does not want to be too preoccupied with being the all-time leading rusher. But that won't stop him from going for that record, which is currently held by Boyce Callahan, who had 4,237 career yards during his years at JSU from 1970-73.

Something else is more important to him than the record.

"I want a (championship) ring. I

want to win a national championship. I'd like to win a championship just for Coach Burgess. You can't help but want to win for that man."

Thomas has also placed finishing college as one of his goals before he hopefully gets to do what has been a long-time dream. "I want to graduate first. That's a real big goal for me. Then I'd like to play one or two years of professional ball. That's always been a dream of mine. Just to say that I've played in the same league with people like Walter Payton would be great."

For now, Terry Thomas can be proud of what he has accomplished so far. But the sky is the limit, and there is no doubt that he is going just as high as he can possibly go.



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